

## DOMINION SURTAX ON LARGE INCOMES

### DANGER OF WAR STATED EASING NOW IN EUROPE

As League Council Called to Meet in April, French Foreign Minister Says Tension Over German Rearmament Growing Less

#### British To Talk Of Navy With Germans

Diplomatic steps emerging from Germany's announcement of a complete army reduction to 100,000 men, according to Canadian Press and Associated Press dispatches, as the League of Nations convened its extraordinary session to deal in April with a French proposal against the Reich, and Mr. MacDonald, British Lord Privy Seal, flew to Paris for conversations with French and Italian diplomats to-morrow.

In Paris Foreign Minister Pierre Laval expressed confidence the situation would be settled satisfactorily by existing machinery.

Canadian Press from Geneva, March 22.—The Council of the League of Nations will meet to set on France's protest against German rearmament in the first week in April. It was formally announced here to-day.

Calling of the Council at that time will permit British Foreign Secretary Sir John Simon to complete his mission as Berlin next week and will follow also the return of Mr. MacDonald, Lord Privy Seal, from his visit to Moscow, Warsaw and Praha.

**TWO DISCUSSIONS**  
 The three powers, Britain, France and Italy, before the council meet, also will have discussed preliminary details of the first meeting of which is scheduled for to-morrow in Paris and the second at Geneva, next week.

Predictions were heard to-day in circles close to the League that France's protest might have come to "trial" before the League Council.

How undercurrents of speculation were based on possibility that the whole situation might be ironed out (Turn to Page 14, Col. 3)

### OAK BAY TAX LEVY IS CUT

Increase of 5 Per Cent in Taxable Improvements; to Improve Drainage

A reduction of 94,395 in the total tax levy compared with last year, despite a 5 per cent increase in the tax on improvements, was effected by the Oak Bay Council estimate committee in striking the municipal tax rate for 1935. No change was made in the 26-mill rate on land, and the percentage of taxable improvements was raised from 35 to 40 per cent.

In addition the council made a cut aggregating \$5,701 in the sewer frontage rate, and made provision for the installation of a large surface drain in the Willow district, to be carried out under the council's policy of improving the surface drain system of the municipality out of revenue. During the last four years about \$40,000 has been consumed in this work, accomplished largely as a relief measure.

To avoid a taxation increase the council found it necessary to draw \$18,947 from the sinking fund surplus and \$9,092 from the general reserve.

The total tax levy for the year will be \$168,970, which includes \$104,106 from the mill rate and \$64,864 from frontage rates. The corresponding levy last year was \$163,979, or 3 per cent less.

The reduction in the total levy reflects in part the decrease made in assessments due to the shrinkage in real estate values. The estimates were compiled on a basis of making 68 per cent of collections.

**FOUR ITALIANS EXECUTED**  
 Moscow, March 22 (Associated Press).—Four young Muscovites, three of whom were under twenty years of age, were executed to-day for murder and robbery after a swift exemplary trial intended to put an end to a crime wave in the red capital.

He also mentioned that roads in the district would be improved, notably in the Bridge River and Salmo districts.

**ROAD LOAN BILL PASSED BY HOUSE**  
 Start Will Be Made on Programme This Year, Says Minister; Details Not Given

The government's \$3,000,000 loan bill for roads was given second and third readings in the Legislature this morning and finally passed.

Hon. F. M. MacPherson, Minister of Public Works, told "the House" the money would be used to start a continuous programme of highway improvement. The department had a plan prepared. It was designed to bring the main highways of the province up to a definite standard of hard surfacing. The minister did not give any details of the programme.

He described, however, how the \$1,000,000 loan from Ottawa last year had been utilized in preparing some roads for surfacing.

### ROBOT PLANE FLIES OFF CALIFORNIA COAST



The United States government's radio compass plane pictured above was being tested over the Pacific off California to-day. It left for a flight of 700 miles out to sea. Reports said it had failed to communicate by radio with the shore for more than an hour. Later the following dispatch came:

Oakland, Cal., March 22.—A message relayed through the Fresno Department of Commerce experimental station said the robot plane was still safe and in the air at 9:30 a.m.

### Bridge Bill Goes Through With Five Liberals Opposed

Long Debate on New Westminster Project Ends in Legislature; Vote on Second Reading Is 29 to 16

After ten hours of debate, the B.C. Legislature yesterday afternoon endorsed the government's Fraser River Bridge Bill on second reading by 29 to 16.

Mostly the most contentious piece of legislation this session, the measure prompted five Liberal members to vote against their leader, Premier Pattullo, who piloted the bill.

All the independent members with one exception—Clive Planta, Peace River—lined up with the C.C.F. Opposition against the project.

The last session of debate on second reading, witnessed the formal exit of D. M. MacKay, Liberal, Cariboo, from the government side on the ground that while realizing a new bridge was needed, he could not agree with the deal. Three other Liberal members spoke in support of the measure and the C.C.F. renewed their criticism.

Harold E. Winch, C.C.F. Vancouver East, who started the afternoon debate, opened his remarks by saying he had just finished going over the reports that had been quoted in the morning by A. M. Manson, K.C., Ombudsman.

Mr. Winch had not gone except upon the fact that there was an extraordinary stress on the parts of the bridge. However, said Mr. Winch, these stresses had been calculated on the maximum possible load on the bridge, and not the average load.

He quoted back to Mr. Manson parts of reports he had read. The Dominion Bridge Company had stated there was no actual physical defect in the present bridge.

From these reports also he found it was the true load, and not the highway traffic, that gave the bridge its greatest vibration. As a matter of fact all the way through the reports

Johnston said: "It's the same old story. Nothing everything through at the last minute."

### U.S. INFLATION BILL IS VOTED

Associated Press  
 Washington, March 22.—The Administration-sponsored Federal Reserve bill for reducing the \$200,000,000 of new money was passed to-day by the United States House of Representatives and sent to the Senate.

### KING DENIES PRESS REPORT

Liberal Leader Tells Commons He Has No Agreement With Premier of Ontario

Canadian Press  
 Ottawa, March 22.—That denial of newspaper reports he had an agreement with Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario on the separate school tax question or any other matter was made in the House of Commons to-day by Mr. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Liberal leader.

He described the report as a most reprehensible piece of party propaganda.

When Premier Hepburn attended the Liberal banquet here Wednesday evening, said Mr. King, the only conversation the two had had was at the dinner table. At no time did Mr. Hepburn mention any matter relating to the request for separate schools sharing in corporation taxes, or the Liberal social programme or unemployment relief.

"What did you talk about?" asked a Conservative member.

"I wish to say the statement in this article is wholly false, untrue, misleading and without foundation," the Liberal leader replied.

Mr. King said he did not have any understanding or agreement with any leader of any provincial party in any province of Canada as to what the Dominion Liberal Party would do if returned to power at the next general election.

He said he had had any such understanding would be over his head as to the pronouncement made on the public platform.

He considered any such practice reprehensible.

**DUKE IN POLICE COURT IN LONDON**  
 Associated Press  
 London, March 22.—The Duke of Manchester to-day was remanded until March 30 on a charge of obtaining two sums totaling £500 (£325) with intent to defraud by means of passing jewelry which it was testified had belonged to his late mother.

He appeared in the Westminster police court. The prosecution charged two pieces of jewelry on which the duke had received loans were not his property at all but belonged to the general trustees under the will of his mother.

**TO HEAR APPEAL ON G.T.R. STOCK**  
 Privy Council to Rule on Grand Trunk Securities Holders' Claims

Canadian Press  
 London, March 22.—Holders of junior stock of the old Grand Trunk Railway of Canada to-day gained the right to appeal to the Privy Council from an adverse decision of the Ontario Court of Appeal in their long struggle for recognition growing out of absorption of the Grand Trunk by the Canadian National Railway.

The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, after brief argument, granted leave to appeal to George Lovibond, acting on behalf of himself and all other registered holders of first, second and third preference and common stock of the Grand Trunk.

## Federal Budget Provides For Added Levy On Those In Higher Tax Brackets

Commons Asked to Approve Surtax of 2 to 10 Per Cent; Excise Tax on Liquor To Be Reduced From \$7 to \$4 a Gallon; Gold Premium Tax to Be Ended May 31.

### Revenues And Deficit of Canada

Ottawa, March 22.—Following are highlights of the budget financial and economic review for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1935, delivered in the House of Commons to-day by Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes.

Surplus of ordinary revenue over ordinary expenditures of \$2,700,000 as compared with deficit \$22,000,000 last year.

Excess of all expenditures over all revenues of \$69,500,000 (not including railway deficit) as compared with last year's \$70,500,000.

Total revenue from all sources \$382,374,000, an increase of \$38,000,000. Total expenditures \$400,774,000, an increase of \$22,000,000.

Canadian National Railway deficit \$48,400,000, a decrease of \$10,500,000, due to increased gross operating revenues.

Transportation revenues \$208,000,000 in 1934-35, just \$50,000 more than estimated and an increase of \$54,500,000.

Belief expenditures \$60,448,000 in 1934-35, an increase of almost \$21,000,000 over previous year's actual disbursements. Loans to four western provinces under relief act \$23,000,000 bringing total to \$74,000,000.

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**GOVERNOR TO-DAY IN EDMONTON**  
 Canadian Press  
 Edmonton, March 22.—Making their third and final official visit to Edmonton, the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General of Canada, and the Countess of Bessborough arrived here this morning. They were welcomed by Chief Justice Horace Harvey, administrator of the province, in the absence of Hon. W. L. Walsh, Lieutenant-Governor.

To celebrate the visit of the party, schools were closed and there were no public functions.



HON. E. N. RHODES  
 Finance Minister of Canada

### CHEAPER LIQUOR

Ottawa, March 22.—Aiming a direct blow at liquor smugglers, and bootleggers, Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, in his budget speech to-day announced a drastic reduction in the excise duties on spirituous liquors.

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**NO GOVERNMENT AID FOR ANYOX**  
 Finance Minister announced to-day that the government would not advance any money to prevent closing of the Anyox mine. During debate on the Special Powers Act, the Premier mentioned the matter in a reference to the fact that the government had not advanced its power under the act to loan money to industry.

elaborate programmes for refunding the outstanding debt of all public bodies. These have all received detailed study and will continue to receive our attention. In the budget last year I discussed some of the difficulties involved, including the technical difficulties resulting from the form in which most of our financing was done in the war and departments.

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**THREE HURT IN PRISON RIOT**  
 Washington, March 22.—The administration's defence programme swung rapidly ahead to-day as a House of Representatives military committee approved a bill to establish defensive air bases throughout the United States and the rule committee granted a rule for the House to bring up \$20,000,000 programme to strengthen some of the navy's key shore stations.

**REARMING OF AUSTRIA DISCUSSED**  
 Associated Press  
 Rome, March 22.—The authoritative German official to-day said the government of Austria, Hungary and Italy would be discussed at the Berlin-Prague meeting in Italy to follow the visit to Berlin of Sir John Simon, British Foreign Secretary.

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## Industry Plan Is Supported

Saanich Officials Hear Plan of Major Ian St. Clair to Relieve Unemployment

Major Ian St. Clair's plan for the development of minor industries in Victoria and British Columbia was outlined to members of the Saanich Council yesterday evening. Major St. Clair spoke for an hour and a half, with his audience, which he estimated would prove a relief to the present unemployment situation at a lower cost than expenditures being made on public works as relief measures.

Major St. Clair explained he had discussed his plan with many prominent persons, who had supported it, and he sought the council's support in an effort to gain the approval of public opinion, and then forward the plan for financial assistance from the governments.

**BETTER USE FOR MONEY**  
He felt the money being expended by federal authorities on relief could be put to far better use by developing it towards minor industries, which, in most cases, would require only a

small amount of capital to be started. He pointed out that money spent on works did not add to the currency of the country, whereas money spent on development of export trade would add to the amount of money in Canada.

The first industry which Major St. Clair suggested might be started at small cost was the exporting of oysters. This trade at present was chiefly confined to a Portland, Ore., firm, which obtained the oysters from Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. He referred to the fine oyster beds in Vancouver Island, and his plan was to have unemployed engaged in the cutting of the oyster, which, he said, "could be as quickly as gold nuggets."

**WOULD DESTROY BUSINESS**  
In connection with this, he pointed out a distilling factory in this city where the oysters would be manufactured.

His second suggestion was the export of oysters. This would be a valuable industry in match-making and its manufacture could be provided for with simple machinery.

The manufacture of such and turpentine was proposed and reference was made to the valuable deposits in the back of northern B.C.

**OTHER SUGGESTIONS**  
Other suggestions made included creating of a cork factory, developing of the oyster industry, stump pulling, and the manufacture of oysters, brisquitos and fruitfulness, development of dehydration plants, the manufacturing industry, washing, spinning and weaving of wool. He

also spoke of the unlimited opportunities in the fishing industry. Major St. Clair's talk was also heard by members of the council and invited citizens of the municipality. A hearty vote of thanks was given the speaker for his enlightening address, the plans being warmly supported by the gathering.

## Exclusive Bus Rights Attacked

Argument in House Over Best Method of Conducting Carrier Lines

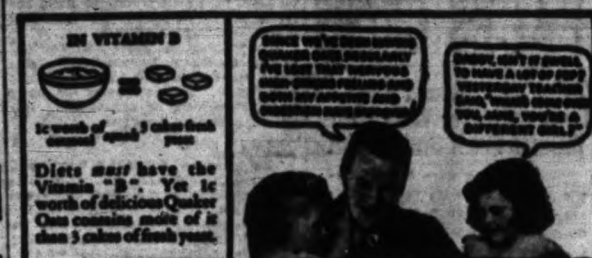
An attack against granting exclusive bus franchises in British Columbia was made in the Legislature yesterday evening when amendments to the Highway Act were in committee.

The bill, while technically eliminating exclusive franchises, gave the Minister of Public Works power to refuse a franchise where the amount of business offered is considered not to warrant any further competition on a particular route.

A. M. Manson, K.C., Liberal, Ominson, urged that wide open competition should be allowed and any one competing with the law should be given a franchise. The "exclusive" principle was fundamentally wrong, he said.

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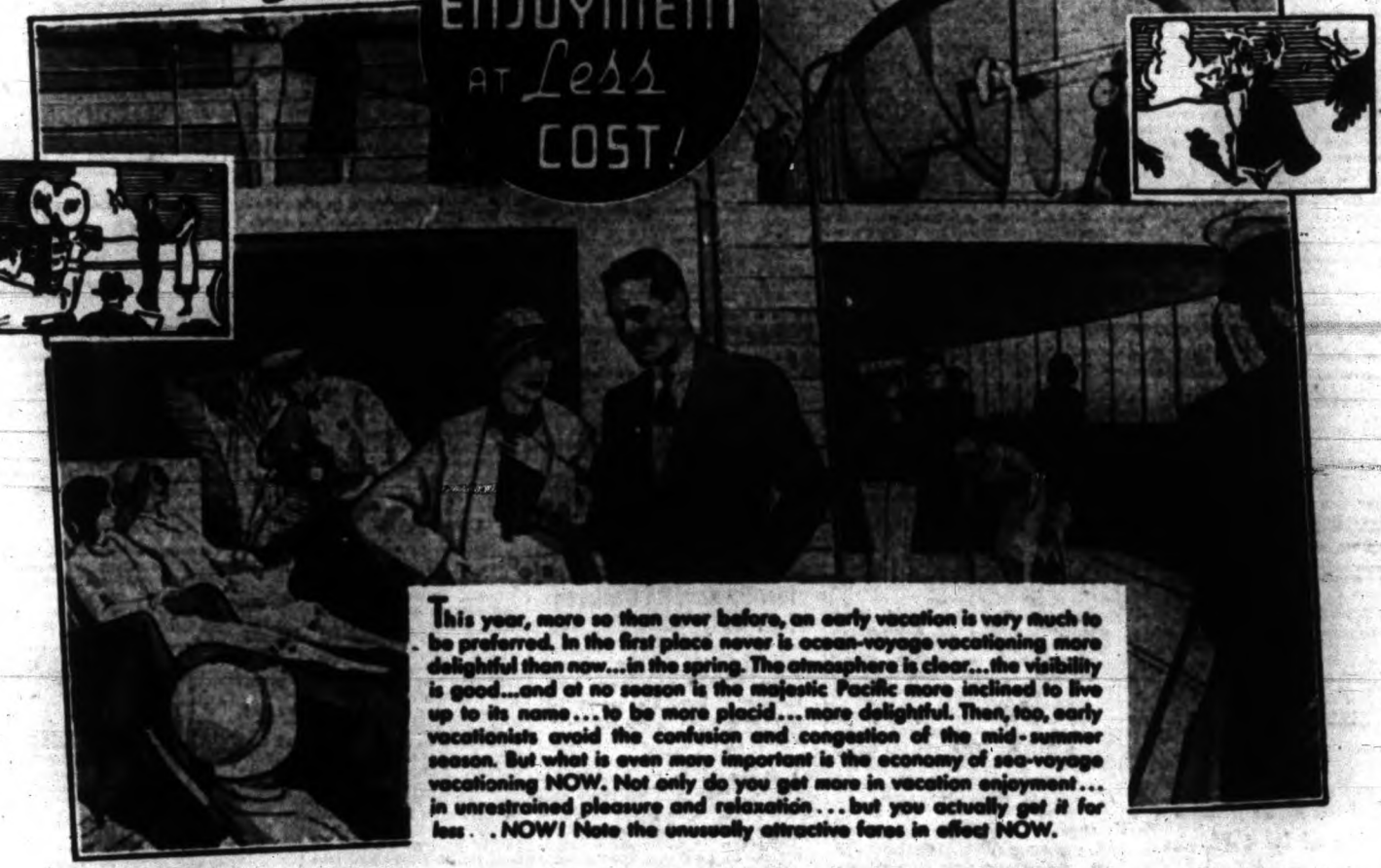
## MAINE HOUSE VOTES LOTTERY

Augusta, Me., March 22.—The Maine House of Representatives yesterday voted 74 to 73 for a state lottery to provide funds for old age pensions.

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## No Lift Span For Present Bridge

B.C. is not prepared to undertake the installation of a lift span in the present New Westminster bridge, and if the federal government insists on

this the bridge will be abandoned as soon as the new one is constructed. This was made clear in government circles to-day following approval of the new bridge by the Legislature. One of the chief reasons for government opposition to the proposal for reconstruction of the present bridge is that a lift span would be required by Ottawa, it was stated. It has been suggested a lift span may be required in any event. The province, however, is not willing to construct it. Probably it would consider turning the structure over to the railway companies to do so. If not, the railways would be given the necessary three years' notice to vacate and the bridge torn down.

## Compensation Act Is Put Through

House Turns Down C.C.F. Plan on Silicosis and Hernia

The British Columbia Legislature yesterday evening turned down proposals of E. E. Winch, C.C.F. Burnaby, that silicosis and hernia should be included in the items for which persons could receive payments under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Mr. Winch, who sponsored amendments to the act to cover these points, conducted a lengthy fight on the question. He cited how seventeen countries have included silicosis as one of the occupational diseases.

Mon. G. E. Pearson, Minister of Labor, repeated arguments he submitted on second reading of the measure, explaining that due to the latent nature of silicosis, it could not be determined which mines were responsible for it.

In the case of hernia, Mr. Winch contended, this was often caused by continued strain, whereas the act now provided compensation would only be paid when it was directly attributable to an accident. The proposed amendment was turned down after Mr. Pearson had given an explanation of this point.

## MERRITT BILL OUT OF ORDER

Premier Pattullo appealed in the Legislature yesterday to have a bill introduced by E. E. Winch, C.C.F. Burnaby, ruled out of order. The measure sponsored by the Burnaby member would reverse a bill passed last year dealing with a timber deal between the City of Merritt and a private individual.

The premier argued the measure was not within the competence of a private member, dealing with an important matter of this kind with a possible effect on public expenditure. Mr. Winch appealed against the ruling and Mr. Speaker Perry reserved his decision on the point.

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## How Does Your Garden Grow?

Improving the Lawn—Grass Requires Proper Food Care to Keep It Green and Vigorous

This is the tenth of twelve daily articles on gardening written by experts for The Times.

By PROFESSOR H. R. COX

WHAT can a person do to thicken the stand of his lawn grass and improve its vigor?

Many lawn soils are too acid to support a vigorous growth of the ordinary cultivated grasses. The cure for soil acidity is a dose of lime.

If this material has not been applied to the lawn for several years, you will make no mistake in applying lightly one of the common forms of lime, such as hydrated lime or pulverized limestone. A dressing of either at the rate of from twenty-five to forty pounds to one thousand square feet once every four or five years should largely correct this unfavorable acid condition.

Lawn grass also needs food, and the easiest and most satisfactory way of supplying plant food is in the form of commercial fertilizer. A "mixed" or "complete" fertilizer, having an analysis such as 8-8-8 or 4-8-7, furnishes the essential plant foods in about the proportion needed for lawn grass.

One of these fertilizer mixtures may be applied at the rate of from fifteen to twenty pounds to one thousand square feet in early spring at the time the grass starts to turn green. Make a similar application again in late summer.

It is important that both the lime and the fertilizer be distributed uniformly. If the material is to be put on by hand it is best to divide it into two parts, applying one portion while going in one direction, and the other portion at right angles to the first.

The best landscape designs to-day call for comparatively open lawns with trees and shrub plantings massed along the sides, as shown above.

The old-fashioned custom of planting trees and shrubs in the middle of the lawn is not only poor landscaping, but the trees are apt to shade the soil too much to grow lawn grass effectively. In such cases one must choose between a good lawn and abundant shade.

Sometimes the trees and bushes may be thinned out, or the trees may be trimmed up from the bottom, to allow enough light to produce a good lawn. In fact, a certain amount of shade is better for lawn grass than full exposure to the sun, especially on a south slope.

Taking one piece of the lawn is better for the grass than trimming them up from the bottom, since trees compete with the lawn grass for drinking water.

Many lawns may be improved by reseeding certain areas. Although late summer is considered to be the best time for reseeding, many lawns may be improved by sowing seed in early spring.

One of the principal causes of lawn failure is the kind of grass seed used. You cannot be too careful in selecting seed. A fairly large proportion of the grass seed sold for lawns, besides being low in purity and germination, is made up largely of such temporary grasses as timothy, red top and rye grass.

The best grass seed mixtures will vary with the locality. In the north-eastern states, such ingredients as Kentucky bluegrass, bent grass and white clover should constitute a considerable proportion of the mixture.

In other sections of the country there are certain other ingredients which should predominate in the mixture. You might write to your state college of agriculture, asking for a seed mixture which could be satisfactorily used on your lawn.

Next: Preventing plant diseases.







# Careful Merchandising in Springtime Needs Brings You These Exceptionally Good Values Saturday



## New Arrivals in Smart Satin BLOUSES FOR SPRING!

Wearable Satin Blouses with long sleeves and high necklines; either "Peter Pan" or tailored collar; or high round neckline. Trimmings include satin buttons and shirring. White or eggshell. Sizes 32 to 38. Each **\$3.50**

## NOVELTY PULLOVERS

In Tricky-looking Styles for Spring!

These Fine Soft Pullovers in wool or silk and wool are featured in real "blouse" styles with ruffled collars, polo collars and other novelty effects. **\$2.95**

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Women's Ringless Chiffon Hose, made with flexible top and strongly reinforced wearing parts. Shown in fashionable shades of

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Misses' Long Silk and Lisle Stockings, with strongly reinforced feet. Full-fashioned, in shades of black, white, Hula and crashtone. Sizes 7½ to 9½. Per pair **49¢**

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Dresses of best-grade prints and flannel. Fabrics that wash properly. Smart one-piece styles—some in smart plaids. Sizes 36 to 44. Also two-piece effects, in sizes 15 to 20.

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In Styles That Reflect Smartness and a High Standard of Quality. Priced at **\$8.95**

These fine Dresses are decidedly new and fashioned from such desirable fabrics as Matelassees, diagonal, cloxy and basket weaves and checker designs, in several gay colors.

Much attention has been given to sleeves and necklines, while shirring, pleats and smocking are included in the smart trimming, along with touches of lingerie and bright buttons. The skirts are straight-line, that give a hint of slenderness. Sizes 13 to 40. Shown in navy and black, as well as colors.



Two of Our Leading Values in Women's and Misses'

## Spring Coats

Featured for Saturday

COATS of polo cloth or tweed, tailored in the smarter styles, from excellent-grade cloth. There are Raglan or set-in sleeves. Semi-fitted or loose-fitting models, fully or half belted.

The tweeds shown in mixtures or checks in a range of colorings. Sizes 14 to 44. Each **\$9.95**

COATS of fine wool tweed, in belted or loose-fitting models, with notch, convertible or scarf collar. Many attractive shade mixtures. Sizes 14 to 38. Another exceedingly good value at **\$17.95**

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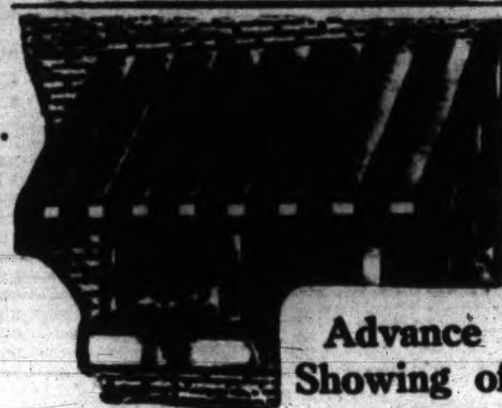
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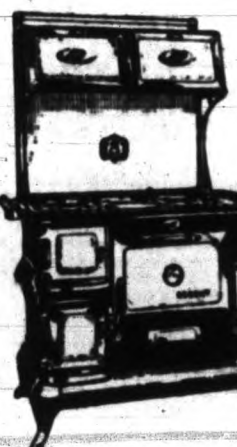
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32-piece Cottage Dinner Sets of English decorated semi-porcelain; 6 dinner plates, 6 soup plates or oatmeal, 6 tea-cups and saucers, 1 platter, 1 open vegetable dish. Border and floral patterns. A set **\$4.95**

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### DEATHS AT NANAIMO

Nanaimo, March 22.—John Stevenson, aged seventy, died yesterday at his home on Kennedy Street following a brief illness. He had resided in Nanaimo for twenty-eight years. Besides his wife, he leaves one son, James, of Vancouver, and a stepson, Thomas Miller, of Victoria. The funeral will be on Saturday at 3 o'clock.

The death occurred yesterday of Louis Cowman, thirty-seven, at the local hospital. Deceased was a native of Italy and had resided in Nanaimo since 1927. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Morvitt, Nanaimo, and three brothers in Italy. The funeral will be held on Saturday.

## ASK CHARGES BE SPECIFIC

Saanich Ratepayers Allege Health Officer Unsatisfactory Without Reasons

Sparks flew high and wide and charges were hurled across the table at the Saanich council chamber yesterday evening witnessed the most heated debate this year over the municipal health department and its administration by Dr. David Revere. The council was discussing a letter from the Ward Three ratepayers' Association requesting disqualification of the health officer, and the council was divided on the matter.

On split council vote it was decided the letter should be tabled and the association requested for specific charges in writing. Councillors G. S. Eden and Fred Jordan voted against this, favoring the revoking and filing of the letter and asking for the complaint in writing.

Advises were given freely by members of the council to each other, and Revere Crouch made it plain in no uncertain terms that he did not intend to take notice of ratepayers' associations which might pose any kind of resistance with heads—quarantined in attendance, and only a handful of genuine ratepayers attending the meetings.

Revere's advice after the reading of the letter was that it should be received and filed. He said he was not prepared to take any cognizance of a letter in which no definite charges were made, and the council was merely asked to disqualify a municipal servant. He was willing to dismiss anyone as long as there was sufficient ground for it, he said.

What that in the past, too," he added, turning to the speaker's table. "This is only your first three months in office, you wait until you have had a little experience with these organizations and you will find out," from Councillor Eden.

"I have had plenty of experience with medical men and I am positive we can get a health officer more reasonably," retorted Councillor Lambrick.

"If you take my advice you will not discuss the question until the Ward Three Association puts its charges in writing," counselled the speaker.

"Well, Councillor Lambrick represents the people, and if he wants to express an opinion on this matter he can do so," came in Councillor E. G. Warren, Ward Two.

"Yes in the case of charges like this," was the speaker's reply. "I think Councillor Lambrick would be exercising his duty if he gave anybody's opinion without the consent in writing of that person," was Councillor Eden's advice.

"That does not matter, if Councillor Lambrick wants to speak on it, he can," Councillor Warren replied.

"I would like to warn Councillor Lambrick that he is on dangerous ground when he starts to quote somebody on charges like this," said Councillor Eden. "I move we receive and file it."

"During the election campaign many of the ratepayers complained that the medical health officer having a cut allowance of \$88 a month," said Councillor Warren.

"Yes, but did they realize that the medical health officer took one of the biggest cuts of anybody on the municipal staff—nearly 50 per cent," said Councillor W. R. Woods, warning up to the debate. "Saanich should be compensated on its health department—our health is better than in any other municipality," he added.

"I'd receive and file it," came Revere's counselling again.

"I move we ask the ratepayers for more specific charges," said Councillor Warren.

"Why they would pass a resolution asking the reeve to resign tomorrow, but look what happens when it comes to election time," said Revere Crouch, who was elected for his ninth consecutive term this year with the greatest majority ever recorded him in a municipal poll.

"Well, I am going to give a warning right here. I hope the health officer will be more careful of his language in the future," said Councillor Lambrick. He did not amplify his remarks, and was not prepared to do so by the council, who appeared somewhat taken aback by them.

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Set Saanich Water Rate

Five Cents Per Foot Is Concession Given Users on New West Road Main

Property owners on the West Saanich Road, where water supply comes from the recently installed main extending from Wilkeson Road to the Little Saanich Mountain, were saved \$2,345 in water bills by the Saanich council yesterday evening when a rate of five cents per foot frontage was approved and reductions in frontage effected.

The resolution setting the rate of five cents per foot was passed with Councillors H. D. Coten, Ward Five, A. G. Lambrick, Ward Three, and L. C. Hagan, Ward Six, opposing it and favoring a three cent rate.

The concession to nearly fifty property owners who will connect to the main was made possible, because the main was laid by the Dominion Government and there was no capital charge for installation to be met.

In addition the council made reductions totaling \$10,000 in frontage, in some instances cutting the frontage by more than 50 per cent.

On the basis of the present by-law the council would have paid frontage rates on 30,376 feet at a cost of eight cents a foot for the first year, six cents a foot for the second year, five cents for the following four years and three cents for the remaining years.

With the passing of the resolution, however, the rate will start at five cents a foot for the first year, after which it will revert to the three cent rate.

The total frontage on the line, as revised by the water committee, is 5,000 feet.

The amount saved represents the total of revenue which would have been received during the two years that the six and eight cent rates would have been in effect.

## STORM PROBE IS CONTINUED

Lillooet Man Says P.G.E. Line Cleared in Quick Time

The railway committee of the B.C. Legislature heard again yesterday the story of the big January snow storm as the investigation continued into charges by Harold Winch, G.C.P. Vancouver East, that the 46-up on the P.O.E. Railway had been unnecessarily long.

Two of the railroad officials took the stand and confirmed the facts given by yesterday's witnesses that everything possible had been done to keep the line open despite the worst snow conditions in twenty years.

Bernard Cherry, a transportation man of Lillooet, testified that he had been engaged by mining companies in the district to take in supplies because they anticipated a much longer tie-up in the railway. Before he had to make any trips, however, the railroad was in operation again.

The inquiry adjourned after an hour and a half, to be continued later in the day.

## OVER HALF 1934 PREPAYS NOW IN

At noon to-day, slightly over 50 per cent of the total amount collected all last year through the medium of prepaid taxes had come in to the city's coffers.

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For 20 years my father worked from 7 to 6 o'clock without a day off. Then he began to show the effects. Whenever he sat down he would fall asleep. By this time my two oldest brothers had good jobs in the city. They persuaded my father to sell his house and move to the coast. Although he found work, he was not suited to it and turned back to Western Canada after five years.

He bought land and set to work, content that at last he had found the life he longed for—land for his sons; a home and independence in time for his family. Then a sad thing happened. While putting in his first crop he was stricken with paralysis. His insurance policy contained a disability feature. It was like a God-send as there was no money from the farm then for. This insurance money kept him comfortably provided for until he died four years later.

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**Income Tax Plan For Montreal**

Canadian Press  
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Charles Henderson, president of the Board of Trade, read a speech in which he denied the board was trying to seek control of the city administration although it still has a committee to inquire into administrative matters should be appointed by the Quebec government.

**COLWOOD GOLF**  
Mrs. J. H. Richardson and Mrs. G. G. Gentry captured the "Women's Open" at the Colwood Golf Club yesterday with a net score of 64. Miss Brown and Mrs. Crouch were next with an 80, and Mrs. Gentry and Mrs. Richardson finished third with a net 85.



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# Bridge Bill Goes Through With Five Liberals Opposed

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While the Ontario member had brought out the high over-estimate of the cost of the bridge, the report showed that only 5 out of 25 of the trustees were subject to over-estimate, and then only from 10 to 15 per cent.

"In view of these reports I think it is safe to say the bridge is in good physical shape, and we do not need a new one," he said.

The theory that tourists care would pay the largest share of the toll was also rejected, because long before the bridge was paid for the tourists would be going to Vancouver over a bridge at Ladner, which would be a shorter route.

**"LEGAL HYPER"**  
 Mr. Wink characterized the whole bridge deal as a "legal hyper" from the people of British Columbia.

He next analyzed the make-up of the Fraser River Bridge Company. It was formed solely for the purpose of building the bridge, he said.

The job would work out as a company proposition, he said, because no matter what the bridge cost, the company would get the "bonus" British Columbia had to pay much experience with cost-plus jobs to go into any more.

Even though the bridge was to be built by the government, the deal amounted to handing out a right of way to private interests, because it would be loaded with tolls to pay interest on the bonds.

This was one of the major reasons why the C.C.F. was opposed.

He challenged the government to show that the bridge would not stand up.

In conclusion he quoted from a newspaper report of last year's debate on the bridge, which reported that A. W. G. Gray, saying the New Westminster bridge is perfectly safe.

**MAJOR D. M. McKEAY**  
 Major D. M. McKeay, Liberal, Carleton Place, said he realized everyone wanted to see a magnificent new bridge to clear the traffic artery across the river, but the point to be considered was whether it was economically sound.

He outlined the history of the present bridge and recalled the examinations made in 1924, in which the Dominion Bridge Company had reported that the bridge was in good condition, but in favor of reinforcement of the main body. This was done, and was designed for traffic conditions of that time.

If the government could not accept reports and recommendations of engineers who had built the bridge, whom could it accept? he asked. Personally, he relied upon these reports and was convinced that rebuilding of the superstructure of the old bridge was not sound.

**NEW BRIDGE NECESSARY**  
 Furthermore, he agreed with the government that a new bridge was necessary.

When it came to the question of financing the scheme, he was in disagreement with the government. He asked the question: What bridge had the company built?

His opponent's payment of 5 per cent on the bonds, he said, was a "legal hyper." The sum of \$100,000 was too much. Mr. Swan would probably have been paid to accept \$100,000 a year. This was the cost of the bridge to the company, and he asked if it was to be paid on a long-term basis.

**HASTY ARRANGEMENTS**  
 "These arrangements have all the earmarks of having been hastily and carelessly made. I have no hesitation in saying that. The result is we are going to pay more than we should. These construction services should have been secured for much less than \$275,000. We are not in the heyday of prosperity. Big \$1,000,000 bridges are not being built every day, and I am sure some of the large bridge companies would be only too glad to build one for 75 per cent of the cost, including the engineering supervision."

**"NOT WHAT THEY SHOULD BE"**  
 "The more I study the arrangements on this bridge, the more convinced I am that they are not what they should be."

# IN SECOND FEATURE AT THE DOMINION



Gene Raymond and Genevieve Tobin, who have the leading roles in "The Woman in Red," which is the second feature picture at the Dominion Theatre.

# Wrestling Card To-morrow Night

To-morrow evening's wrestling card will see two star ten-minute-round bouts featured as a double main event. In the first Carl Morris, Vancouver, will oppose Bull Dog Smith, Oklaheima.

The second will bring together Abdul Khan, Afghanistan, and Leo Burke, Toronto. The first bout will start at 8.30 o'clock.

When I say that they are not what they should be, I mean that they are not what they should be. The Premier has said the Legislature is responsible for this scheme. Well, I am not going to think any more about it.

**"Too little use is made in government of the back-bench members of the Legislature,"** said Mr. McKeay, "and they become nothing but a voting machine."

"If the back-benchers had been consulted before this deal was entered into, the Liberal party would not have been so divided."

**HERBERT BAKERWELL**  
 Herbert Bakerwell, C.C.F. member, declared if the present bridge was so dangerous as the government tried to suggest the passenger trains should be immediately stopped from crossing.

It was very strange, he added, that the members of the railway companies had made any representations for a new bridge. And, anyway, even if they did, they should be told to build their own bridge.

Mr. Bakerwell said all Liberals who voted for the bridge would be a group of glibbing swine following their leaders down to political oblivion.

The famous S.P.A. of last year had been labeled "Stupid Political Animals." This bill he labeled "Flagrant, Shameful, Stupid."

**C.C.F. WOULD SEPTUAGINT**  
 Mr. Bakerwell made it quite plain that the C.C.F. government would not be a party to the bridge.

"The people who are going to buy the bonds might just as well know that a C.C.F. government would not honor any of the obligations contracted by a capitalistic government in this regard. The shysters in New York, London and San Francisco are already shoveling their knives for the pound of flesh. Well, now they know where we stand, let them go ahead if they want."

**S. S. McKEEN**  
 Stanley S. McKeen, Liberal, Vancouver-Point Grey, said he thought the reason for public opposition to the bridge had been because the government had not made public full information as to the need for a new bridge. At first he himself was doubtful, but he had become thoroughly convinced the bridge was a necessity. It had been quite apparent that many of those opposing the bill realized this need.

"I also realize there are many other things we need just as much. I think we are 'underdeveloped' as far as the public is concerned, the government's road programme was withheld until as late as the session."

The \$5,000,000 road scheme, if carried out yearly, would provide enough

# "DEVIL DOGS" AT DOMINION

James Cagney and Margaret Lindsay Have Leading Roles in Story of Aviation

The Cosmopolitan production, "Devil Dogs of the Air," released by Warner Bros. opens at the Dominion Theatre to-day.

The picture deals with the romance and adventure exploits of members of the aviation corps of the United States navy and is said to be a gripping follow-up of "Hell Comes to Frisco."

The same intangible trio head the cast of this new service picture, James Cagney, Pat O'Brien and Frank McHugh. Margaret Lindsay has the leading feminine role while there is a strong supporting cast with hundreds of marines in extra roles.

The scenes were taken for the most part at the United States naval base at San Diego, Cal. and at the flying field on North Island. It was produced under special arrangements with the United States government and marine officers acted as technical advisors.

Special marine maneuvers were conducted for the picture in which a score of warships, dozens of airplanes and the giant U.S. Macon took part. Spectacular air stunts, with planes crashing in mid-air, burning, and while pilots leap for their lives in parachutes, are some of the many thrills in the picture.

**PLAYBOY THEATRE**  
 Anyone from any city is likely to be thrilled at the view of New York by moonlight as seen from the top of an East Side tenement roof, as depicted in RKO-Radio's "Romance in Manhattan," starring Francis Lederer and Ginger Rogers, and being shown at the Playhouse Theatre.

Although the sequence were shot on one of the sound stages, even a native New Yorker would believe that the camera had traveled to the Metropolis to film the scene.

**COLUMBIA THEATRE**  
 Sleep by day and work by night was the programme of the company filming Gene Grey's "Wagon Wheels," the Paramount picture now at the Columbia Theatre, while on location at Sonoma, Cal.

While the thermometer hit no lower than 115 all day, every day, and the wind of gust-like gusts swept in from the sun-scorched plains, Director Charles Barton did an about-face, and all scenes possible were shot at night. The heat from all the bright studio lights, needed to light the night scene, was as nothing compared to the terrific sunlight.

confidence in the government to carry the project through satisfactorily. It was glad to see the hypothesis of tolls was being written into the bonds, because he did not think it right the structure should be a burden on the province, at large.

"This is one thing the mainland is building and paying for itself. Representing the island, I therefore must support the government in this policy," he declared.

**GORDON WILSON**  
 Gordon Wilson, Liberal, Vancouver-Point Grey, said as a member of the private bills committee last year he had gone thoroughly into all sides of the bridge question, and did not see how it could be carried out without tolls. He said he had been read to the House. The preponderance of representations to the committee were all in favor of the bridge, although opposed to tolls.

"After listening to all these arguments, as well as the debate in the House, both this year and last, I am convinced that we must have a new bridge," he declared.

There was danger of a major disaster if steps were not taken to make provision for a new structure.

He quoted Mayor G. G. McGeer to the effect that the present bridge would be a "disgrace to the entrance of a modern city." While not going quite that far, he did not think it was a suitable entrance to a metropolitan city.

Now that we realize a bridge is needed, we must like our C.C.F. friends, take a lot and remain in a state of masterly inactivity. We've got to go ahead and build it in the manner by which our hands are tied," he said.

**BROADCAST HOOP FINALS TO-NIGHT**  
 The British Columbia basketball championship finals in which the New Westminster team and the Victoria team will be featured, will be broadcast from the High School gymnasium this evening at 8 o'clock over Victoria's station, C.F.T. 1450.

The broadcast is being staged owing to the large numbers who are unable to obtain seats for the event.



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 Crystal Garden—Swimming.

**OLD FAVORITES WILL BE HEARD**  
 Scotch Songs Will Be Presented When Scottish Players Return Here

When the Scottish Musical Players arrive in Victoria on Tuesday next they will have completed a tour of all the cities of importance in Washington, Oregon and California.

The music critic (R. J.) of the Vancouver Daily Province writes as follows after attending a performance of "Tam O'Shanter": "Irresistible humor, faultlessly blended with rare touches of charming sentiment and the singing of the 'true Scotch sangs' provided ideal entertainment for a party audience. Our advice is to go and see these remarkable Scottish folk at the Empress."

Some of the songs to be heard at the matinee performance are "A Highland Lad My Love Was Born," "The Lassie from the Highlands," "Scots Wha Hae," "Afton Water," "O Wither Thou in the Cauld Blast," "A Man's a Man," "Highland Mary" and "To Bonnie Broom."

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**Dickens Story to Open To-morrow**

"David Copperfield," the all-star feature which comes to the Capital Theatre starting to-morrow, is more than a classical work of fiction, transferred to the screen.

In a certain measure it is the life story of Charles Dickens, the novelist. For it is generally known by all students of Dickens that at one time the author began writing a biography. But he found the memories so poignant, the scenes so vivid in his memory, that he could not continue.

After two or three attempts to continue the biography, he revivified it completely, making it a third-person story and creating the fictitious character.

Herewith is the solution to yesterday's puzzle.

**POOR PA**  
 BY CLAUDE CARRAN

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## HOLD MEETING FOR CYCLISTS

Gathering at Chamber of Commerce Wednesday Will Examine Trek Plans

Preparations for a bicycle trek up Island, to attend Nanaimo's mass meeting on Saturday, April 27, will be made at a meeting of Victoria's newly-formed bicycle club in the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, March 27, at 8 p.m.

The new club, sponsored by the Tourist Trade Development Association of Victoria and Vancouver Island, aims to promote athletic activities for cyclists and to carry out an educational campaign to add to the safety of Island bicycle riders.

It is further proposed to organize up-Island trips whose combined efforts will be directed to bring about such benefits to group insurance and legal protection for cyclists. Wednesday night's meeting will be open to the public. The proposed name and constitution of the club will be discussed and an invitation will be extended to local cyclists to enroll as club members.

## FUNERAL SATURDAY

The funeral of Mrs. Laura Masters, wife of Henry Masters of Linton, who passed away at the Jubilee Hospital yesterday morning, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the St. Mary's Church, Rev. J. B. Howell will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the Colonial Burial Park. A memorial service will be held in the Central Baptist Church, Sunday morning.

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## RANCHER GOES TO JUBILEE

T. A. McKellar Says New Zealand Farmer Making Living

Through wool and dairy prices are low, it is possible for the New Zealand farmer to make a good living, if not big money, states Thomas A. McKellar, who farms 600 acres of the fertile Banks Peninsula, South Island, New Zealand, and who arrived in Victoria to-day aboard the Hest Niagara.

The New Zealand farmer enjoys tariff preferences and the exchange is also in his favor, the visitor pointed out.

Mr. McKellar is at the Empress Hotel with his sister, Miss M. A. McKellar, and his aunt, Miss A. G. Hay. They are en route to London to attend the King's Jubilee celebration.

Mr. McKellar says his farm is quite a small acreage compared with the big sheep stations, some of the largest of which are 100,000 acres in extent. These, however, are in much less fertile areas and very mountainous, with snow covering the greater part for long periods.

The sheep on the Banks Peninsula are in the open the whole year round.

Mr. McKellar party will leave for Vancouver for the coast via Victoria, Kamloops, the Okanagan Valley and on to Toronto, sailing from Halifax April 14 by the liner Duchess of Bedford.

## PAY FINAL TRIBUTE

Captain W. G. O'Brien conducted the funeral service of Mrs. Mary Gertrude Stevenson yesterday afternoon at the Victoria Memorial Hospital. During the service the hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me."

The casket and hearse were borne by the Victoria Memorial Hospital. The casket was borne by the Victoria Memorial Hospital. The casket was borne by the Victoria Memorial Hospital.

## MORE BUILDING ACTIVITY HERE

Permits for City During Week Total \$6,900 to Date

Construction work recorded at the city building inspector's office this week had reached a total of \$6,900 as of noon to-day.

The major feature was a \$5,500 eight-room duplex being built at 1021-1023 Fairfield Road for F. J. Schneider by H. R. Brown.

## ENDORSE ACTION ON EGG SCHEME

Meeting of Victoria Poultry Association Gives Power to Committee

The committee authorized to draw up a poultry scheme to cover the Island was endorsed at a meeting of the Victoria Poultry Association held in the Y.W.C.A. yesterday evening.

Sixty producers present at the meeting gave the committee power to draw up a scheme before up-Island producers and then present it to the Provincial Marketing Board for approval.

Opposition to a plan proposed by the marketing board was expressed, though it was thought a compromise might be reached.

## NEWS IN BRIEF

Payment of a \$200 fine for non-compliance in the B.C. Safety League was authorized by the British court yesterday evening.

The British court yesterday evening sentenced to a fine of \$200 the secretary of the British court yesterday evening.

The Victoria Short Wave Club will hold its regular meeting at the Victoria Hotel, where there will be the presence of J. A. Jones on Saturday evening.

The by-law designating the section of Shakespeare Street between North Dairy Road and Mount Douglas Park as an arterial highway was given preliminary readings by the British court yesterday evening.

The band concert scheduled to be held at the Britannia branch of the Victoria Legion club on Saturday evening, March 30, it was announced to-day.

The Glush Yacht Club held under the direction of Superintendent James Miller, will give a band concert at the Victoria City Yacht Club, 942 North Park Street, on Sunday afternoon, from 3 until 6 o'clock, as one of this season's series of twilight musical entertainments. The program will be announced at the concert.

The Victoria Branch of the Royal Society of St. George will hold its annual banquet on May 6 in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of King George's accession to the throne. A speech will be made by the speaker, and several speakers, including T. H. Bell of the Tourist Trade Association, have been asked to attend.

At the general meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans' Club yesterday evening, W. J. Simpson, winner of the Victoria Million Cup, was presented with the trophy by President J. A. Scarre. V. H. Munro, runner-up in the Million Cup, was presented with a medal by A. H. Phillips. Reports of the sailing season, membership and work of sick committees were presented and received. Seven new members were admitted into the club. The annual grant of \$50 to the Victoria Army was approved by the meeting.

At the Y.M.C.A. Camera Club meeting, Thursday, arrangements were made to hold a club supper on Thursday, April 25. L. Wilson, photographer of The Victoria Times staff, will be guest speaker of the evening. The club will hold two hikes weekly. A mystery hike held on March 10 took the club to Thetis Lake, and a bicycle hike to Niagara Canyon was held Sunday last. Hikes start after lunch and are timed to bring the group back to town in time for the evening services. A display of the club members' pictures will be entered into the exhibition at the Metropolitan United Church next week.

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## MARKET NOTES

The arrival of three carloads of oranges from California featured local wholesale market activity this morning.

Wholesale prices for celery have risen 25 cents a case on account of the first crop coming to an end in California.

## ADMITTS CASHING BOGUS CHEQUE

J. S. Ryland pleaded guilty in the city Police Court this morning to a charge of obtaining \$10 by false pretences from John S. Cunningham, cashier of the Vancouver Island Coach Lines. He was sentenced to a short time in the reformatory.

Mr. Cunningham testified the accused had presented a cheque for \$10 at his bank. The cashier of the firm and it would be all right. Witness had cashed the cheque on his own responsibility and discovered there was no account when he presented it at the bank. Later the accused had telephoned him and promised to make the cheque good, witness said, but he had not done so, whereupon witness put the matter in the hands of the police.

Fred Landberg gave character evidence for the accused, stating he had known the accused for many years and that he was a good man. He also stated that he had known the accused for many years and that he was a good man.

## IN LAD TO REE

Many beautiful flowers covered the casket at the funeral this morning of Mrs. Adie Smith, pioneer resident of the Victoria. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock and was presided over by St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Rev. Father Guadalupe celebrated mass in the presence of many sorrowing friends. The casket was borne by the Victoria Memorial Hospital. The casket was borne by the Victoria Memorial Hospital.

## Amendments To Bridge Scheme

Fight in Committee Over Proposed Changes Looms in House

The Legislature was prepared to-day for another struggle on the Fraser River bridge bill in the committee stage. While the principle of the project was approved on second reading, several private members as well as the government itself are moving to change specific parts of the measure.

The government amendments, on which the Liberal members have agreed, will reduce the limit on the amount of interest on the bridge bonds to a per cent and will hypothecate the toll for repayment of the loan.

Opposition members would upset the entire contract. R. S. Brown, G.C.F., Delta, proposed to kill the whole bill and cancel the bridge company's charter as well.

H. W. Bruhn, Independent, Salmon River, will seek to reduce the company's compensation from 7 1/2 to 5 per cent of \$2,000,000.

Charles Winn, G.C.F., Burnaby, proposed that the bonds should not be more than 5 1/2 per cent.

Mr. Bruhn is also moving to cut out the toll.

R. S. Brown, G.C.F., Delta, proposed to have it specified that all tenders shall be opened in public. It was expected the argument on the amendments would take place this afternoon.

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## NOTES OF THE LEGISLATURE

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being sought because the Hairdressers' Association was doing the same thing.

The new financial responsibility clauses in the Motor Vehicle Act were explained by Attorney-General Gordon Sloan. They involve a tightening up of the regulations for the general protection of the driving public.

Attorney-General Sloan secured House approval that changes in the B.C. Insurance Act have been very carefully studied by superintendents of insurance as a result of administrative experience.

Harold Winn protested during the evening against the rush of legislation in the House. He said that he was not giving the opposition a chance to present anything closely.

"We've gone through acts of state and security sections in a few minutes and it's not good enough," he said. "If we looked more closely into these things we wouldn't have as much complaining to do afterwards."

Premier Pattullo told the government members that the amount of every section of every bill was and was perfectly willing to sit for another month if the opposition wanted it.

## Major Ommanney On Visit Here

Major G. C. Ommanney, C.P.R. Inspector, will be in Victoria to-day.

Major Ommanney explained he was visiting the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy at Vancouver.

## Vancover Aid Measure Passed

No Default By Mainland City This Year, Says Premier

Vancouver's special relief act was ratified by the Legislature this morning.

This measure gives the mainland city the authority to undertake certain emergency steps on financial matters.

The measure went to the House in approximately the same shape as proposed by the private bills committee, except that a clause giving the government power to deal with the debt situation in Vancouver was deleted. This is covered in the government's B.N.A.

In connection with the bill, Premier Pattullo said:

"We need for Vancouver a measure which will enable the city to get by until next year when a general revision of the municipal situation is to be made."

"For the question of cutting interest on the bonds, the government has not received an answer from Ottawa on the proposal that the federal and provincial governments should split the burden and relieve the municipalities. Regardless of this the government was ready to loan Vancouver its share of relief."

Protest against the bill was made by Herbert Anson, Independent, Victoria, who was opposed to the borrowing power. He said he would not support such a measure for any government, and he thought any refunding at Ottawa would involve strict control not only in capital borrowings but in current expenditures as well.

## No Report On Wheat For M.P.s

Government Declines to Give Commons Figures on McFarland's Operations

Ottawa, March 22.—The spectacular wheat operations of John I. McFarland, the central selling agency of the Canadian Wheat Pool, remained as mysterious as ever to-day, Hon. Wesley Gordon, Minister of Finance, having declined to disclose the details of the government-backed money in the Winnipeg pit.

Yesterday afternoon the House gave sanction to the 1935 wheat bill 100-42. Later the House passed it through the committee stage and added third reading without division.

Western Liberals led the fight to induce the government to disclose results of its hedging operations in the wheat market, which have been the subject of much speculation for three years. Although he has been credited with possessing more wheat than any man in history, no details of McFarland's operations have been made public and whether he has made money or lost money is known only to himself and Premier R. B. Bennett.

"I think," the Labor Minister told the House, "if any one is in the market, whether short or long, that it would be a most undesirable thing to hold it in the world and others in the market the exact position of any considerable trader."

The government, Mr. Gordon continued, was not prepared to disclose the details of the hedging operations in the wheat market, which have been the subject of much speculation for three years.

On the return of the Prime Minister, continued Mr. Gordon, further details of the McFarland operations might be given.

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## Special Powers Act Is Passed

Ottawa Refunding Plan Justifies B.C. Stand, Says Premier

When the new B.C. Special Powers Act went through the B.C. Legislature this morning, Premier Pattullo declared the financial policy of the government had been vindicated in the federal budget announcement that the Dominion Government was considering assistance to the provinces in refunding.

The Premier expressed satisfaction that developments at Ottawa were turning out in line with the provincial government's view, and members of the House applauded vigorously as he referred to the refunding proposal.

THIRTY TO ELEVEN

The government was satisfied thirty to eleven on the S.P.A. the vote being on straight party lines, except for Oliver Peden, Independent, Peace River, who voted for the measure.

Premier Pattullo, in his opening on second reading, declared the province had co-operated with the federal authority on financial matters, and would continue to do so, but as the House would see that provincial autonomy was preserved within its own jurisdiction.

"I view with considerable satisfaction the fact that the House has voted thirty to eleven on the S.P.A. the vote being on straight party lines, except for Oliver Peden, Independent, Peace River, who voted for the measure."

"It is apparent there is a move toward centralization and in this the Special Powers Act will assist us in obtaining the provincial measure."

"We naturally take satisfaction in seeing things transpire this way. We have stood here for fifteen months long, waiting for something to happen in the future and taking no action. Now, you can see, Ottawa is moving."

## STAND JUSTIFIED

When we said we would assist the municipalities after we had got straightened out with Ottawa, we meant it. You can see events are justifying us in this.

"No matter what shade of political opinion may form the government at Ottawa, we will stand with them. Personally, I think the next administration will be Liberal. This bill will give us the necessary security to deal with the situation."

The Premier explained that the bill had a special clause empowering the government to take any necessary steps to deal with the situation.

Protest against the bill was made by Herbert Anson, Independent, Victoria, who was opposed to the borrowing power. He said he would not support such a measure for any government, and he thought any refunding at Ottawa would involve strict control not only in capital borrowings but in current expenditures as well.

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## Belgians Deny Inflation Report

National Bank Says Gold Standard to Be Maintained

London, March 22.—The Exchange Telegraph agency was informed by the National Bank of Belgium, in a telephone conversation to-day, that a report in the city of London that Belgium was about to go off the gold standard or devalue the belga, was false.

"The report is untrue," the bank was quoted as saying. "Belgium is on the gold standard and remains on the gold standard."

WEAK AT NEW YORK

New York, March 22.—Belgian currency weakened sharply in foreign exchange dealings here to-day as international banking circles felt the difficulties in forming a conservative cabinet in Brussels made early devaluation probable.

## SEEK MISSING MINES PLANE

Fliers Hunt for Stanley Siscoe and Companions in Northern Quebec

Canadian Press—Montreal, March 22.—Four airplanes set out to-day to search for northern Quebec's missing flier for Stanley Siscoe, director of the Siscoe Gold Mines, believed forced down somewhere between St. John's and James Bay on the transcontinental railroad line. Mr. Siscoe left Tuesday in a small cabin plane piloted by Tommy Wraithall, instructor of the Montreal Light Airplane Club, accompanied by a survey engineer, Stuart Graham, government inspector of civil aviation, took off from St. Hubert airport at 8 a.m. on route for the north to supervise the search for Wraithall, Siscoe and the survey engineer, whose name could not be recalled.

Aviation experts here believed the plane may have been forced down on the top of some isolated northern lake and been unable to take off again because of a damaged undercarriage or heavy snow.

Mrs. Siscoe expressed little anxiety about her husband. He is familiar with every part of the northern territory, she said, and unless injured

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# THE SPORTS MIRROR

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honey's career, and Johnny F. A. Smith  
gave the three-year-old filly a clean  
ride.

members will gather at Spauld's on this evening at a festive banquet. The function is scheduled to start at 7 o'clock.

Calvin Martin, president of the Ontario Rugby Union, honored guest of the dinner, will present the Hays Cup, emblematic of the international city championship, to Ronnie Cannon, captain of the Blues. Bill Symons, club president, will con-

One minute Jersey Duncan had the big up on Deservating at the Agua Caliente barrier, and the next minute the horse had reversed the position—it was on top. Here is the action on the equine, performing badly at the post, unseated the milks pucker and fell on him. Quick action by starters saved Duncan from serious injury, and he rejoined to continue the race.

Wilson, E. Young 7, M. Lattoral.  
Nancy 12 and E. Nancy 2. Total, 2.  
Hudson's Bay Girls—E. South 1.  
Stewart 4, G. Cooke 2, K. Hall 2.  
Sykes and Watson 2. Total, 11.  
West Coast Intermediates—Sutton  
Kenny 6, McKenzie 6, Shaggett  
Rice 6 and Latham. Total, 26.  
Lake Hill Duo Duo—Roberts, Ewins  
M. Morgan 3, Strick 3, Patterson,  
Hollis 3, Bradley 3 and V. Scott.

The prince jumped up, rolled his sleeves to show his biceps, then hurled a challenge in ringing tones. "Punch me there," he said, pointing to the solar plexus.

Steve obliged.

Hamed, relating the episode afterward, asserted he had given the prince "my hardest punch, right in the belly."

The prince, Hamed said, seemed

## Back to Minor League

West Palm Beach, Fla., March 22.—"Cousin" Jack Dean, nineteen-year-old septuagenary to the pitching fame of his namesakes—Dizzy and Paul Dean—failed to make the grade with the Louisville Browns and yesterday departed for San Antonio, Tex. He will

With two other Vancouver boys coming to swap punches with the pick of Victoria's fighters, the fight is assured of plenty of action.

Doug Ball of Rocky Point, B. C. and Bob Farber, a shifty but teamweight, will also be on the card.

Pete Tyson, George Lerner and other well-known amateurs will perform with the wrestling. Both definite to feature and

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Drawing their names to a close, Oak Bay Wanderers Rugby Club members will gather at Speedy's Cafe this evening at a festive banquet. The program is scheduled to start at 7 o'clock.

Carve Martin, president of the Victoria Rugby Union, honored guest at the dinner, will present the Stanley Cup, emblematic of the intermediate city championship, to Ronnie McCann, captain of the team. H. K. Symons, club president, will occupy

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Hendy 12 and E. Hendy 2. Total, 25.  
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West Head Intermediates—Sutton 1.  
Kewey 3, McKenzie 4, Shuggett 3  
Rice 6 and Lenson. Total, 24.  
Lake Hill Doe Dads—Roberts, Ewing  
H. Morgan 2, Strick 2, Patterson, A.  
Rollin 2, Bradley 5 and V. Rollin

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"Cousin" Jack Dean, nineteen-year-old aspirant to the pitching fame of his namesakes—Dizzy and Paul Dean—failed to make the grade with St. Louis Browns and yesterday departed.

Doug Ball of Rocky Point, N. C. and Bob Parker, a shifty bantamweight, will also be on the card. Pete Tynd, George Larner another well-known amateurs will post.

Orillia, Ont., March 22.—The Manx Cup, emblematic of the lacrosse championship of Canada, will be brought to Orillia, it was announced yesterday.

The Orillia lacrosse club decided to post the bond necessary to get possession of the cup. A. W. Firth, president of the local club, has received a letter from Dan McKeown, president of the Dominion Amateur Lacrosse Association, that the cup will be forwarded when the bond is posted.

Of course Dykes is banking on Harnshaw, Ted Lyons, Leslie Tietz, Whitlow Wyatt, Sam Jones and Lefty Stine for the major share of mound duty, but he feels that the young talent will turn in a surprising number of victories.

Dykes plans to do most of the work at third, Luke Appling, one of the best shortstops in the circuit, back with Maize. Hayes of second and Zeno Bonura, the home run hitter, at first.



## Pantorium Girls On Title Quest

Alan LeMarquand's Squad to Meet Province in Vancouver To-night and To-morrow For B.C. Senior Women's Hoop Crown

On a final he hopes will lead to a crack at the Edmonton title for the western Canadian center women's basketball championship, Alan LeMarquand took his Pantorium girls to Vancouver this afternoon for a two-game total point series against Vancouver Province this evening and to-morrow night.

The games will decide the provincial senior women's championship. Provided the women's center squad enters a challenge, the winner will go to Edmonton for a series with the Grads.

With a smart record behind them, the Pantorium girls will enter to-night's fray with an optimistic outlook.

**FOURTH MEETING**  
In an exhibition game during the season, The Province team noted out the locals by the narrowest of margins. LeMarquand hopes to see the verdict reversed in the series starting to-night, and has drilled his players on several plays which may throw a wrench into the mainland machine.

The game this evening will be played at the V.C. gym.

Those making the trip were: Ruby Bethell, guard and captain; Mary Wilson, center; Eleanor Peden, utility; Mary Peden, forward; Eleanor Trotter, guard; Gertrude Taylor, guard; Wilson, forward; Frances Strain, forward; and Lucille Sparr, forward.

## Scottish to Play College To-morrow

In an exhibition game scheduled to occur at the Victoria College will clash up against a strengthened Canadian Scottish fifteen at Macdonald Park to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The game will close rugby play here this year. Nothing will be at stake, but followers of the oval ball code are expected to turn out in force to support the worthy objective.

## BAY MEADOWS TAKES ACTION

Small Crowds Results in Policy of Free Admission to Stand Starting Monday

San Mateo, Calif., March 22.—Faced with a steady decrease in daily attendance since the spring meeting opened nine days ago, officials of the Bay Meadows track decided yesterday to open the grandstand free to the public, a move directly opposed to the policy of the state horse racing board.

The announcement was made by General Manager William F. Kysse, who said the "free admission" policy would become effective next Monday. Admission prices will be charged on Saturdays and holidays and at all times in the clubhouse.

High pockets, owned by M.C. Bush, won yesterday's feature race, a mile run for four-year-olds and up.

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## Grass Hockey Classic Scheduled To-morrow

Island and Vancouver Rep Teams to Meet at Admirals Road Ground in Sudden-death Encounter For Allan Cup

Island and Vancouver rep grass hockey teams will meet in the sports annual provincial classic, the Allan Cup game, at Admirals Road ground to-morrow in a match scheduled to start at 2:30 o'clock.

W. H. Muncy will referee. This year the cupholders will be decided by a sudden-death fixture. With a team of outstanding players, the Islanders hope to retain the trophy which was won in their possession and will all out to secure as decisive a victory as possible over the Vancouver squad with its roster of Island Hockey Club players.

The Island team will be composed of G. C. Grant, captain; Maurice Ellis, W. Appleby, R. O. M. Denny, R. E. Williams, J. M. Robbins, Charles Clarke, Dyer, Alexander, J. Foster, and Desmond Crofton.

Regina man, former rugby star and one of Canada's outstanding athletes, was invited to play for the Islanders but was unable to participate.

**VANCOUVER LINEUP**  
The Vancouver team have been selected as follows: Goal, Green (Varsity); Backs, Mather Singh (India H.C.) and Bremner (Varsity); Halves, Sands (Cricketers), Mathews (Vancouver) and Adams (Varsity); Forwards, Varsity, Convey (Vancouver), Jagt Singh (India H.C.), Sordani Singh (India H.C.) and Abercrombie (Vancouver), captain; Sands, umpire; J. E. Morrison.

## HUBBELL HAS NEW TACTICS

Brilliant Pitcher of New York Giants Has Changed Style With Lively Ball

Associated Press Sports Writer Tampa, Fla., March 22.—Carl Owen Hubbell, only one of his famous "curve" balls for every four he used to pitch with the best of his bowler.

The change in the official league ball last year did not keep the use of all his effectiveness for the second straight season, but it did mean harder work and forced him to alter his hurling habits.

"Hubbell, who was comparatively easy to stop with the dead ball in 1934, became tough in 1935," said Hubbell to-day, while discussing the burdens of his league pitching life.

"The most bearing down more often, because the big hitters are always hard to handle, no matter what kind of a ball we are using."

**SLOWER BREAK**  
The main difference to me, with the new ball, is that my screw-ball doesn't break as quickly now as it did with the dead ball.

The screw ball is still Hubbell's main reliance in the pinches, however. The fact is, he has two of them.

He delivers his No. 1 screw-ball with his usual motion, three-quarters side arm. It breaks down and away from a right-hand batsman. The No. 2 screw-ball, delivered with a full overarm, breaks down sharply and is generally effective against southpaw hitters.

The popular Oklahoma peccan farmer, despite his great record, is a work-out pitcher at the close of the 1934 season. Like the rest of his teammates he was filled with disappointment, but this is another year, and the confidence of the Giants seems fully restored.

**OAKLANDS Y.P.A.**  
The fortnightly meeting of the Oakland Y.P.A. was held on Wednesday evening at the Y.P.A. building. The speaker was the vice-president, provided. After the meeting had been opened by prayer, the Scripture portion for the evening was read by Alice MacKinnon. A vocal quartet followed, sung by the Misses O. Jealous, M. Barnes, I. Atchison and I. Barnes.

The main portion of the evening was devoted to a very interesting lantern lecture by the president, P. O. Hamilton, on the life of Martin Luther and the events of the Reformation in Germany. An excellent set of sixty slides, illustrated the main features of this famous reformer's life and the events that led up to the setting of his historic ninety-five theses on the church door in Wittenburg on October 31, 1517.

The speaker pointed out the many evils and abuses that characterized the church of that time, and recounted how Luther appealed to the Holy Scriptures as his final court of appeal in settling these matters of faith and conduct. An exhortation to appreciate and to defend the religious light and liberty we enjoy to-day, as a result of Luther's faith and courage, concluded the address.

The next meeting on April 8 will take the form of a Bible examination contest on the Book of Ruth, and all young people are cordially invited.

## WINS TITLE



Winnipeg, March 22.—Ken Billingsley, former British Columbia diving champion, added the Manitoba title to his collection to-day.

Billingsley, competing under the colors of the Winnipeg Dolphin Club, won the three-metre springboard championship with a point total of 128.8 yesterday evening.

Billingsley started his diving in Victoria under the able coaching of Archie McKinnon of the Y.M.C.A. He scored several local triumphs, taking the Victoria High School title and later winning the British Columbia championship last year, before going east.

**Peden and Andy In Last Place**  
Chicago, March 22.—Chicago's International six-day race passed its ninety-sixth hour yesterday evening with the Italian-American combination of Avanti Martini and Bill Grimm leading by a narrow margin of sprint points.

The Canadians, Percy Peden and Jules Andy, were last, one mile and three laps behind the leaders.

**STANDINGS:**  
M. L. P. Martini-Grimm ..... 1,571 9 143  
Rebol-Thomas ..... 1,571 9 130  
Bodman-Bitter ..... 1,571 9 124  
Schaller-Buhler ..... 1,571 9 103  
Spencer-Testa ..... 1,571 9 107  
Krommer-Kramer ..... 1,571 9 108  
McIntyre-Lands ..... 1,571 9 204  
Lefebvre-Georgiev ..... 1,571 9 214  
Lipsett-Croley ..... 1,570 8 136  
Deulberg-Wiesel ..... 1,570 7 171  
Peden-Andy ..... 1,570 6 287

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## GALA DAY FOR JOBLESS TEAMS

The Albions, who were set back as league leaders last week by their defeat at the hands of the Rangers, came back strongly yesterday to down the Spurs, new leaders, 4 to 0. This result makes the Albions league winners and medal winners in the Provincial Recreation Soccer League.

The league officials will present the medals at a dinner to be given on Monday evening at the Y.W.C.A. at 8 o'clock. After the function a continuing gala will take place at the Crystal Garden. It will be followed by a dance at 9 o'clock at the Memorial Hall gym.

The soccer league will carry on until the end of May. Play as usual will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week. All players are requested to report Tuesday next at 2 o'clock at the Athletic Park to be placed on various teams.

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Thurs.—W. Mitchell 724, A. T. Taylor 621, G. L. Taylor 621, C. Neil 521, G. Andrews 521, Total 2,596.  
Tillamook won two.

**Y.M.C.A.—J. H. B. 521, F. Pauling 521, H. Short 521, D. McMillan 521, C. Rogers 521, H. P. Taylor 521, Total 2,596.  
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# BOND MARKET IMPROVEMENT

# FIRM TREND AT TORONTO

**Canadian Press**  
Toronto, March 23.—Despite some uneasiness about what the budget has in store, industrial share prices managed to hold to an even keel to-day with volume up to that of any previous session this week.  
Industrial Alcohol A was in demand, closing at 9. Walker's common was off  $\frac{1}{4}$  at 27 $\frac{1}{4}$ .  
Bell Telephone and Consumers G

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| McColl Frontiers   | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 |
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**VANCOUVER WHEAT**

| Rank  | Commodity | Price  | Change |
|-------|-----------|--------|--------|
| No. 1 | hard      | 87 1/2 | 0      |
| No. 2 | northern  | 82     | 0      |
| No. 3 | northern  | 76 1/4 | 0      |
| No. 4 | northern  | 72 1/2 | 0      |
| No. 5 | northern  | 70 1/4 | 0      |
| No. 6 | wheat     | 65     | 0      |
| No. 7 | wheat     | 60 1/2 | 0      |
| Ford  |           | 58 1/2 | 0      |

**LIVERPOOL**

Liverpool, March 22.—Following are day's per bushel wheat quotations, c Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current shipping exchange rate of 24.22 on account of exchange.

|                              | To-day | Y |
|------------------------------|--------|---|
| No. 1 Man. nor. Vancouver .. | 97     |   |
| No. 2 Man. nor. Atlantic ..  | 94     |   |
| No. 3 Man. nor. Vancouver .. | 90     |   |
| Argentina (Rosario) .....    | 88     |   |
| Argentina (Buenos) .....     | 85     |   |
| Australian (Sydney) .....    | 74     |   |

## Strachey Denies

## Writing Article

**Transportation From U.S., Say  
Version Unauthorized**

**Associated Press**  
Chicago, March 22. — Immigrant

authorities to-day completed the presentation of evidence in the deportation hearing against Evelyn J. St. Loe Strachey, British author-lecturer, with the introduction of a magazine article purported to have been written by Strachey and

Strachey denied authorship and asserted it was an authorized and garbled version of one he had written last year.

## FRUIT BOARD CLOSES POOL

## Growers Find Returns From Shippers Lower Than Pe

### Bases Quoted By Board

Baldwin fancy, 326 packages, 93c; No. 2, 470 packages, 93c; No. 3, 470 packages, 93c; orchard run loose, 756 pounds per ton, \$26.43; Baldwin fancy, 13 packages, 93c.

Coe, 13 packages, 93c; No. 3, 120 packages, 87c; orchard run looms, 7 pounds, per ton \$27.95.

Golden Delicious, extra fancy packages, \$1.29; fancy, 1,375 packages, \$1.19; Coe, 975 packages, 89c; tartio fancy, 19 packages, \$1.07.

501 packages, 55c; No. 3, 502 pack-  
ages, 55c; orchard run loose, 25  
pounds, per ton, \$24; Wagner's  
5,003 packages, \$1.05; Cus, 1  
package, 54c; No. 3, 10,003 pack-  
ages, 55c; orchard run loose, 5,43  
pounds, per ton, \$25.22.

Growers are finding that the returns from the shippers are in cases drastically lower than the basis as quoted by the board. A large grower states that his return so far on such varieties as have

**INQUIRY COST**  
SO FAR \$254

Ottawa, March 22.—The totals of the inquiry into price spreading of mass buying so far has been \$250,000 according to a return tabled y

1 day in the House of Commons.





*Dorothy Dix*

THE reason things that go further than anything else in making marriage a success are congeniality, a sporting spirit and good nature. It does not matter much what kind of man and woman marry provided they suit each other. Husband and wife are purely a matter of taste, and that is why it is not only dangerous but cruel for families to interfere in love affairs and break off a match just because they do not see what John does in some stuffy little flapper and they cannot understand why Mary wants to marry some boy out of her class. It is just a matter of liking them that way and it is just as inconceivable as why earlier appeals to John's and Mary's palate, while it is sacred in mother's and father's mouths.



If you will consider the successful marriage among our acquaintances, you will be struck by the fact that the virtuous of the high contracting parties have very little to do with it. Mrs. Jones is not happy because Mr. Jones is a tender, kind and influential husband. Nor is Mr. Jones happy because Mrs. Jones is a devoted wife and a good housekeeper. For there are the Smiths next door who fight like cat and dog, yet Mr. Smith is just as much a model husband as Mr. Jones is and Mrs. Smith gives as good a performance of the marital life as Mrs. Jones does.

No. The reason the Jews are happy is because they are congenial. They have the same tastes and habits, they enjoy the same things, they like the same books and the same songs and the same movies. They are friendly you-see each other and each other nothing and agreeable companions. They are all the reason the Gentiles are unhappy is because they are congenial. They are in a perpetual row because what one likes to do the other hates to do, what one enjoys here the other to taste, the people one likes are anathema to the other. They belong to different churches. They are on different sides of the political fence. One likes Jan, the other likes classical music. They cannot even discuss the weather without getting into a hot argument. Whatever they say or do rubs the other the wrong way and keeps them sore at each other.

Just so long as a couple wish to be at home of evenings or step out, to play golf or sit in rocking chair on the front porch, to put every penny in the savings bank or blow it in for a good time, to have good music always on, they will be happy. The unhappy ones are those in whom one wants to stay at home and the other wants to step out, when one is a golf champion and the other is a golf widow, when one goes highbrow and the other goes lowbrow. For, say what you will, the people we enjoy as companions are those who agree with us and like what we like, not those who contradict us and deride our taste at every turn.

The next ingredient of a successful marriage must be good sportsmanship on the part of both husband and wife. They must be able to take marriage on the chin, so to speak, and come up smiling and ready for another round instead of throwing up their hands and quitting. They must realize that marriage, like every other good thing in life, costs dearly and they must be willing to pay the price.

Couples marriage ceremony before husbands and wives with as bargains. Family of men are children. They never play the game fairly with their wives. They dump their brides down in a little apartment and then they go off to amuse themselves as they did in their bachelor days, leaving their wives to spend every evening alone. They play poker with the boys. They have affairs with other women. They bolt the matrimonial yoke the minute it gets heavy on their backs. And there are plenty of other men who are growing as crazy because they would spend the money on themselves instead of on their families. They want to open champagne for showgirls instead of buying certified milk for the baby.

And there are plenty of women also who are not willing to pay the price of marriage and who rush to the divorce court when they find out that they have married human men instead of Fairy Princes, and that ordinary marriage is a life sentence at hard labor instead of a romantic dream. Plenty of women make the good men they are married to miserable by their whining and complaining because they have to bear children and rear them and cook and wash and baby-tend.

It is only the men and women who are good sports, who take marriage as they find it and make the best of it and who are determined to use it through who make a success of marriage.

Finally, there is good nature, the ability to laugh things off instead of making tragedies out of them, the philosophy that takes life as it comes, giving the soft answer that turns away wrath, wearing the smile that does not come off in emergencies. Being easy to live with is the crowning virtue of any husband or wife and the one for which his or her matrimonial partner is the most grateful.

Apply these three tests to the man or woman you are thinking of marrying. If he or she makes the grade, rush for the parson.

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## Uncle Wiggily Surprises the Fox

By HOWARD E. GARIS

"There's your surprise!" cried Wiggins, as he leaped away, and the frog's croak was to chase him, as his eyes were full of water.

## HOROSCOPE

**"The stars incline, but do not compel"**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1968**  
According to astrology this is a lucky day, for benefic aspects rule strongly. It is a very fortunate date for reaching important decisions and signing legal papers.  
There is promise of success for farmers in this spring's planting, despite serious losses through floods and storms. Food prices will rise and exports will flourish.

Newspapers and those employed by them should prosper. New inventions will reduce the costs of production. New writers will gain fame.

time to make decisions. Youth is to be put forward in novel scientific and business projects and fortunes await the win.

While entertainments with foreign nations

The coming summer is to be a time of many opposing trends and peculiar experiences in this country. Pleasure, such

As men and women work out their own destinies government aid will be with

Persons whose birthday it is have the anxiety of a year of close friendship and

Children born on this day probably will be of a clever and subtle nature. Subject of this sign usually knows what they want.

Douglas Fairbanks, actor, was born on this day, 1883. Others who have celebrated a birthday include Madison

I. Caproni, post, 1881, and John Bartram  
bottled, 1881.  
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On Wednesday the St. Mary's A. F. A. held a missionary evening. Mr. Bragg, who is a returned missionary from the Indian Ocean, was the speaker.

interesting talk concerning his work among the natives. It was illustrated by a display of curios Mr. Drugg collected there. Next Wednesday

meeting will take the form of a round-table discussion.





